I am disappointed to hear that Sinclair Broadcasting will be forcing their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election.

I feel that this is in violation of the FCC's fairness and equal time doctrines. Perhaps a fair application of equal time might be to broadcast the anti- Kerry movie one night, and Michael Moore's Fahrenheit 9/11 in the same timeslot the next night.

Siinclair has a government subsidy in the form of exclusive use of protected spectrum. In return, Sinclair must uphold the public interest. Their ongoing actions make a mockery of the public interest portions of FCC regulations.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard. Thank you.